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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
SYLVIA MONSHEIMER, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION  
SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLICATION :  
(BASED ON PCT/EP05/50345)  
FILED: HERewith :  
FOR: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR :  
PRODUCING THREE-  
DIMENSIONAL OBJECTS USING  
LASER TECHNOLOGY AND FOR  
APPLYING AN ABSORBER USING  
AN INK JET METHOD

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to examination of the application, please undertake the following changes in the claims.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.